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1. FURTHER DETAILS NOW HAVE BECOME AVAILABLE CONCERNING PRESIDENT
SOMOZA'S NEXT UNOFFICIAL VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES.

2. SOMOZA WILL BE TRAVELING IN HIS PRIVATE AIRCRAFT, HAWKER-
SIDDELEY 125 (AN-BPR), WITH ETA HOUSTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AT
1930 HOURS, OCTOBER 2, 1976. THE AIRCRAFT APPARENTLY WILL BE
PARKED AT "QUALITRON AERO" FOR SOME UNSPECIFIED PERIOD.

3. THE FOLLOWING PERSONS WILL BE ARRIVING WITH SOMOZA AT HOUSTON:
STEPHEN CHERRY-DOWNS (PILOT), COL. PEDRO J. SANCHEZ (CO-PILOT),
BRUCE HODGSON (FLIGHT ENGINEER), CAPTAIN MARUICO ROMERO (PRESIDEN-
TIAL AIDE) AND JULIO C. GUERRERA (ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT).

4. PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL NORMAL COURTESIES AND THE USUAL CUS-
TOM CLEARANCE ASSISTANCE ARE EXTENDED TO PRESIDENT SOMOZA AND HIS
PARTY UPON THEIR ARRIVAL.

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